

forteen dollars per year for the residue of his apprenticeship, and the sum of twenty five dollars per year for the said Daniel - the money for the last year's apprenticeship to be paid to the said apprentices respectively -

James Holt

against
Augustine Pope was found 80

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} In Chancery

This day this cause came on to be heard upon the bill, answer and exhibits and was argued by counsel. Whereupon the Court doth adjudge, order and decree, that Jacob Barnes, John C. C. Webb and Augustine Pope be appointed Commissioners, any two of whom may act, authorized to sell at public auction Stephen the negro mentioned in the foregoing bill, upon a credit of nine months, a notice of the sale having been previously posted up at several public places, and taking bond and good security for the purchase money, which after deducting the necessary expenses of sale and this decree is to be divided into three parts one bond equal to one sixth part of the purchase money after deducting the expenses of sale, pay over to the widow Anna Holt as her property and the remainder divide into equal parts, giving one part to the guardian of Virginia Ann Holt and the remaining part to the guardian of Mary Ann Holt, and should there be no guardian to either of the above infants return the same to Court to await its further order - and make return how they have executed the same -

The persons appointed to examine the Clocks Office and report what repairs they thought, and necessary this day made report which is ordered to be recorded, and is in these words. "The report of Jeremiah Holt, James D. Mendenburg and James S. French Commissioners appointed by the County Court of Southampton to say what repairs are necessary for the preservation of the Clocks Office and papers therein contained. Sets forth the following facts - That the roof of the Clocks Office is much out of repair and needs striking & some extent, and also some repairs in the brick work, that the blinds also require repairs, necessary to the preservation as well as the appearance of the Office - that the Stairs leading to the upper room of the Office are so much out of repair as to render them dangerous, therefore, as conducive to the public comfort as well as to the continued preservation of the Office and its contents they would recommend in addition to the repairs absolutely necessary, as above stated that a porch with a covered roof be erected in front of the Office, extending out 12 feet in front of the building and as wide as the Office, with stairs leading from it to the upper room, even with which there is also to be a floor. - And also that three porches and a box or chest be furnished, which are now required for the use of the Office - With regard to the shape and size of the porches as well as several other small repairs which are necessary for the preservation of the papers now filed away the Commissioners recommend that the ordering of them be left discretionary with the Clerk, who as we are satisfied would order none which he does not deem essential to the preservation of the books, papers &c now in his charge. - James S. French, Secy. Clk." And the Court approving of said report doth order that James S. French, James H. Schell and Samuel P. Nicholas or any two of them do let to the best advantage the repairs recommended by the said report to be necessary as well as the additional repairs thought requisite -